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From: Thomas Bowles

Sent: Wednesday, February 2, 2022 8:22 AM

To: Kenney, James, NMENV

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Support for Clean Fuel Standard

Dear Secretary James Kenney,

Secretary of New Mexico Environment Department,

I am writing to you as the NAIMI Executive Director which is leading an effort funded by the US Economic Development Administration on the Clean Energy Economy.

We are strongly supporting the Clean Fuel Standard as part of our completing a 5-year plan for the State on building a Clean Energy Economy. In having set up 12 Regional Advisory Groups in New Mexico, we have found there is strong support for a Clean Energy Fuel Standard. On behalf of 300+ leaders in New Mexico, we urge you to pass the Clean Fuel Standard.

Yours truly,

Thomas Bowles, Ph.D.

**Executive Director** 

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